

The Midland Railroad.

The two letters printed below show a friendly co-operation in furtherance of an important enterprise, on which the many interests concerned in it success may well be congratulated. Mr. O'pdyke accepts the post of honor and duty with the understanding that the road shall be completed to Oswego within a month, and to Buffalo within a year, and from such a man as he, this means much. Mr. Littlejohn's letter is also highly creditable to him. Further comment on these letters is scarcely necessary; the correspondence speaks for itself.

New York, June 7, 1873.
GENTLEMEN—In consequence of a combination of circumstances beyond my control, and my desire to insure the early completion of your road, I am convinced that the time has arrived when gentlemen of more financial influence and power should be introduced into the management of the affairs of this Company.

In furtherance of this object, I hereby tender my resignation as President, knowing that you will fill the vacancy thus created with a gentleman of great financial strength and reputation.

I beg to assure you that as a Director I shall co-operate with you in the future as in the past, and put forth all the energies I possess to secure the completion of the road both to Oswego and Buffalo, feeling entire confidence that it will prove of the most useful and promising enterprises in the country.

Very truly yours,
D. C. LITTLEJOHN.

New York, June 7, 1873.
To the Board of Directors of the New York and Oswego Midland Railroad Co.

GENTLEMEN—Since you tendered me a few days ago the presidency of your company, I have carefully examined its financial condition. I find that its maturing floating debt, incurred for its equipment and other necessary outlay, together with the maturing interest on its funded debt, has in the presence of a dull market for the mortgage bonds of unfinished railroads led to financial embarrassment. This is the common experience of most railroad enterprises as they approach completion. I am satisfied, however, that the intrinsic merits of your road, aided by the large syndicate subscription that you have secured to your first mortgage Western extension bonds, together with other resources at your command, will enable you to promptly overcome your present embarrassment, and to successfully carry forward your important work to early completion.

Prompted by this belief and by an earnest desire to contribute my best efforts to protect the interest of the creditors and stockholders of your Company, and to aid in securing to the city and State the great benefits that this road must confer, I have determined to yield my strong personal objections, and to accept the position you have tendered me. I feel that I may confidently rely on your earnest co-operation in every measure requisite to the early completion and ultimate success of the great work that has been placed in our hands.

I am persuaded that with the means at our command, with proper energy and economy, the credit of the company can be promptly restored, the line to Oswego completed within thirty days and the line to Buffalo within two months from this date. When this shall have been accomplished, no intelligent person can doubt the permanent success of the enterprise, nor the immense benefits it will confer on the citizens of our State.

Remarkable Flood in Nebraska.

The following account of a military disaster has been received at the headquarters of the Military Division of Missouri in Chicago.

Captain Alexander Moore, commanding Company A, third Cavalry, writing from the field under date of June 9, 1873, to Major Dubois, commanding the regiment at Fort McPherson, Nebraska, says: I have the honor to report that, in accordance with instructions, I left Fort McPherson May 27, 1873, for the purpose of patrolling Republican Valley.

On May 31 we marched down a Blackwood Creek about twelve miles and went into camp. About 9 p.m. a terrible freshet, without any apparent cause, rushed down the valley, carrying everything before it. Men, horses, tents and army wagons were swept along like corks. For five days previous we had had no rain, and where the water came from so suddenly I cannot yet understand. The valley of Blackwood is about forty-five miles long and one and a half wide. This entire stretch of country was one raging torrent of water, at least from six to seven feet deep, and how any man or horse escaped is marvellous. The only thing that prevented our total destruction was the fact that the camp was surrounded by a belt of timber on three sides, and as the men were carried off by the current, they were enabled to save themselves by catching hold of the limbs of trees. When day broke on the morning of June 1st it showed almost all the men of the company in the tops of the trees, without any covering except remnants of their underclothes. Beneath them the torrent ran. After the lapse of a few hours the water began to fall and a few of the men who could swim got to the hill. Afterwards the others, myself among the number, were got off with ease. Up to this time nothing has been seen of what had been my camp except the top of an army wagon, on which were collected a number of the men. The settlers at the mouth of Blackwood Creek lost almost all their stock and property. Our stock, however, was almost all recovered when the flood went down. Six men of my company were drowned and twenty-six horses lost. I remained at the scene of disaster for four days and recovered five of the bodies of the men and almost all the equipments of the command.

Edward O'Brien, a brakeman in the employ of the New-Jersey Railroad, met a frightful fate, on Monday afternoon, at the Market street depot, in Newark. It appears that while drilling freight cars at the depot he was by a sudden concussion of the cars, thrown from the platform of one beneath the wheels. He was found lying across the rail, held there by the wheel of a ten or fifteen ton empty car, which rested across his ribs. Life was, of course, extinct, and a jack-screw had to be used in order to extricate the body, which, however, was found to be singularly free from mutilation. Deceased leaves a wife and three children.

Researches in Palestine.

The Palestine Exploring Expedition, now in Moab, as at present organized, consists of Lieut. E. Z. Stearns, A. M., United States Army, chief engineer and commander, and a staff of nine assistants. Including eighteen muleteers, the caravan numbered twenty-seven men and sixty-two animals. They left Beirut on the 20th March. Their route lay southerly, along the shores of the Mediterranean, by the way of Sidon, Tyre and Acre; thence bearing easterly by the way of Nazareth and Nablous (ancient Shechem) they crossed the Jordan, at the ford of Damieh, on the 29th March, and established their camp on the heights near Essalt, 158 miles from Beirut. While passing through Palestine, assigned for exploration to the English Society, no archaeological investigations were made. The journal, however, concerning incidents and adventures of the march, and descriptions of the remains of antiquity and other objects of interest in their way, is interesting and valuable. This will be published by the Society in their next issue, which will soon be put to press. At last accounts the party were at work, in good health and spirits. They are in the desert wilderness of Moab, near Heshban.

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Legal Advertisements.

IN CHANCERY OF NEW JERSEY.

In the Matter of the Petition of Robert M. Henning, Guardian of Alfred F. DeLuz, a Lunatic, for the Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of the order of the Chancellor made in the above stated matter on the fifth day of February, A. D. 1873, I shall expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder, on Thursday, the seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1873, at the house on the premises secondly described in the petition, in Montclair, in the County of Essex, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all those two tracts of land and premises particularly described in the said order as follows:

Being premises situated in the township of Montclair, in the County of Essex and State of New Jersey. The First Tract: Beginning in the middle of Mountain Avenue, at the northeasterly corner of land of Buckland W. Bull, and thence running along his line, south, sixty-five degrees fifty minutes east, nine hundred and fifty-eight feet nine inches; thence along land of Lucy Stone, north, thirty degrees forty minutes east, three hundred and thirty-one feet six inches; thence north, sixty-five degrees and twenty-five minutes west, nine hundred and seventy-nine feet six inches to the middle of said Mountain Avenue; and thence along the same south, twenty-seven degrees west, one hundred and twenty-two feet seven inches; thence south, twenty-six degrees thirty minutes west, one hundred and eighty-four feet; and thence, still along the same, south, twenty-seven degrees forty minutes west, thirty-three feet one inch, to the beginning. Containing seven and fifty-two hundredths acres, more or less, being the premises conveyed by William Green, Jr., and wife, to Alfred F. DeLuz, by deed, dated June 16th, 1864, and recorded in Book L, 12, of Deeds for Essex County, on pages 175, 176 and 177.

The Second Tract: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Mountain Avenue and the centre line of Union Street, formerly known as the Old Union Street, thence running along the centre line of said Mountain Avenue, south, twenty-seven degrees west, four hundred and thirty-seven feet, seven inches, to the line of Mrs. Ada E. Bradbury; thence along the latter line, south, sixty-four degrees thirty minutes east, five hundred and seventy-three feet, to the centre of said Old Mountain Road and thence along the centre of said latter road, north, seventy-nine degrees thirty minutes west, six hundred and twenty-two feet eight inches, to the beginning, containing seven and three one-hundredths acres. Being the same premises conveyed to the said Alfred F. DeLuz by three deeds: one, from Daniel Babbitt and wife, recorded in Book Y, 11, of Deeds for Essex County, on page 288; the second, and third from Henry Nason and wife, one recorded in Book Y, 11, page 289, the other in Book L, 12, page 177, of Deeds for said County.

Subject nevertheless, to the inchoate right of dower of Mary C. K. DeLuz, together with all and singular the tenements and appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise appertaining.

ROBERT M. HENNING, Guardian of A. F. DeLuz, a Lunatic.

Dated May 16th, 1873.



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